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Dear Commissioner:

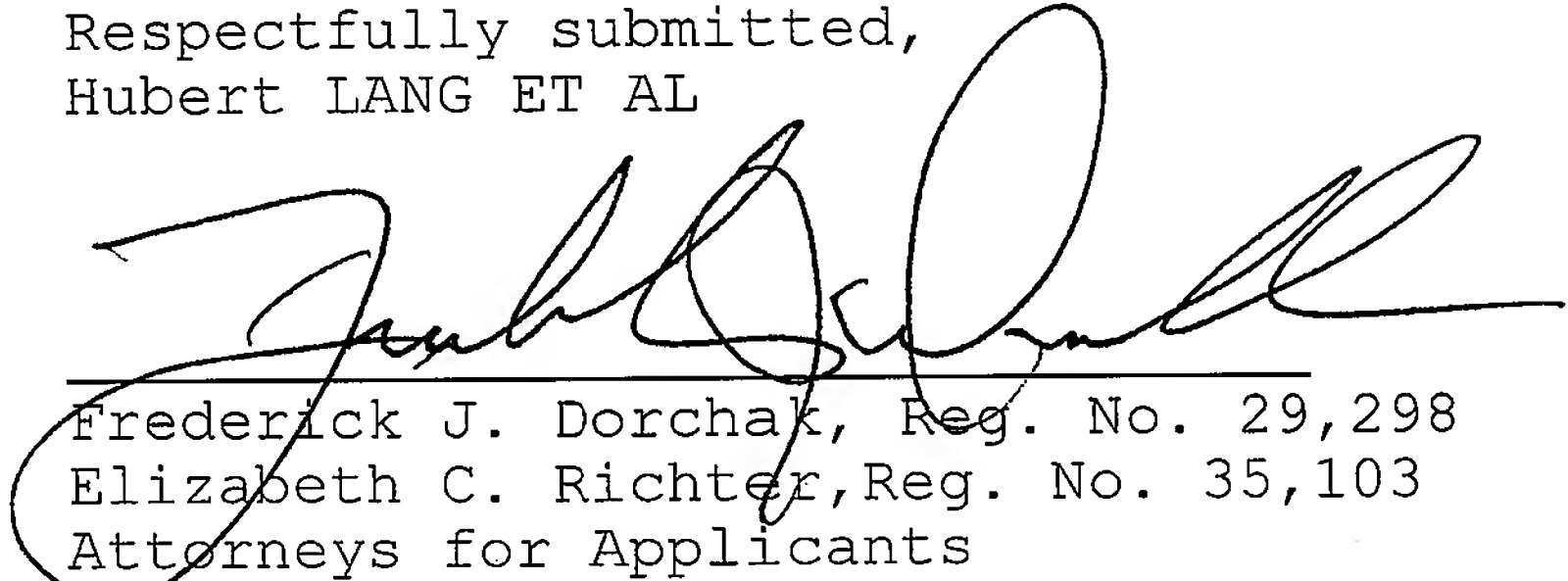
Supplemental to the Information Disclosure Statement filed on May 24, 2006, the Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on March 5, 2008, the Second Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on July 10, 2009, the Third Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on June 14, 2010, the Fourth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 9, 2010 and on September 10, 2010 as corrected, and the Fifth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement filed on September 10, 2010, Applicants submit herewith Form PTO/SB/08a together with a copy of JP 11-257355, cited in an Office Action issued by the Japanese Patent Office during the prosecution of a Japanese patent application corresponding to commonly-owned U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 11/728,988.

Because this Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is being filed subsequent to an Office Action on the merits, the Commissioner for Patents is hereby authorized to charge the fee for filing this Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to our Deposit Account No. 03-2468.

It is respectfully requested that the foregoing Sixth Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement be incorporated into the official file of the present patent application.

Respectfully submitted,
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Form PTO/SB/08a with JP 11-257355 (with English abstract and English translation)

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